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Military Information from the Forst Tauer Training Area

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EVALUATION

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26 June to 9 July 25X1A

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REMARKS

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1. The troops which, during the rebellion, had been absent from Camp Forst Tauer, returned to the camp between 26 and 29 June 1953.

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Construction work proceeded slowly. The camp appeared rather quiet. The troops held field exercises and firing in the terrain. During the exercises, the Lieberose-Peitz road was blocked in a length of about 5 km between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. On 9 July, motor vehicles were seen. Five open-air motion picture theaters, each with a capacity of 200 to 300 men, and an open-air theater for about 500 men were in the camp.

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2. Construction work on the new barracks installation, project IR, was continued. Empty truck was observed.

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1. Comment. The units of the 9th Necz "iv which, according to this report, returned between 26 and 29 June, according to another source, left Cottbus on 25 and 26 June. It, therefore, remains undetermined, which units were in the Goerlitz area between 1 and 5 July.

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